

REMARKS

The specification has been amended to correct typographical errors. No new matter is believed to have been added by this amendment. An action on the merits and allowance of claims is solicited.

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2-21-2002IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 9, line 6 through page 10, line 25 with the following paragraph.

--As the basic compound capable of forming a conjugate acid having a pKa of -3 to 3, used in the present invention, there can be mentioned, for example, acetamide, acetamidine, 3-aminopyridine-1-oxide, 4-benzylpyridine-1-oxide, betaine, 2-bromoaniline, 2-bromopyridine, 2-chloro-6-nitroaniline, 4-chloro-2-nitroaniline, 2-chloropyridine, 3-chloropyridine, 3-chloro-o-toluidine, colchicine, 2-cyanopyridine, 3-cyanopyridine, 4-cyanopyridine, 3,5-dibromoaniline, [3,5-chloroaniline] 3,5-dichloroaniline, 2,5-dichloro-4-nitroaniline, 3,5-diiodoaniline, [4-dimethylaminozenzaldehyde] 4-dimethylaminobenzaldehyde, 2,4-dimethylpyridine-1-oxide, 3,5-dinitroaniline, 5-ethyl-2-methylpyridine-1-oxide, 2-ethylpyridine-1-oxide, 3-ethylpyridine-1-oxide, 2-fluoropyridine, 3-fluoropyridine, 2-iodoaniline, 2-iodopyridine, isocreatine, 2-methoxycarbonylaniline, 4-methoxycarbonylaniline, 2-methoxycarbonylpyridine, 2-(N-methylbenzamido)pyridine, 2-(N-methylmethanesulfonamido)pyridine, 2-methylpyridine-1-oxide, 3-methylpyridine-1-oxide, 4-methylpyridine-1-oxide, 3-methylsulfonylaniline, 4-methylsulfonylaniline, 2-nitroaniline, 3-nitroaniline, 4-nitroaniline, phenazine, 5-phenylbarbituric acid, pyrazine, pyrazinecarboxamide, pyrazole, pyridazine, 3-pyridinecarbonitrile, pyridine-1-oxide,

pyrimidine, 3-pyrroline, quinoxaline, 2,3,5,6-tetramethyl-4-methylaminopyridine, triazoline, thiourea, 4-(trifluoromethyl)aniline, 2,4,6-trimethylpyridine-1-oxide, diphenylamine, 2-chloroaniline, 2-acetylpyridine, N-isopropylmethacrylamide, N-acetylethanolamine, β -propiolactam, 2-pyrrolidinone, δ -valerolactam, ϵ -caprolactam, benzamide, N-methylbenzamide, N-ethylbenzamide, N-isopropylbenzamide, N-isobutylbenzamide, N-sec-butylbenzamide, N-tert-butylbenzamide, N-benzylbenzamide, N,N-dimethylbenzamide, N,N-diethylbenzamide, N,N-diisopropylbenzamide, benzoylpiperidine, 2-azacyclooctanone, 2-azacyclononanone, N-methylacetamide, N-ethylacetamide, N-tert-butylacetamide, N-benzylacetamide, N-p-methoxybenzylacetamide, N-p-chlorobenzylacetamide, N,N-diethylacetamide, N,N-dimethylacetamide, urea, N,N-dimethylformamide, N-cyclohexylformamide, and N-isopropylacrylamide.--

' Please replace the paragraph on page 19, lines 11-13 with the following paragraph.

These monomer units having [an alicyclic] a lactone skeleton can be used singly or, as necessary, in combination of two or more kinds.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 24, line 19 through page 25, line 2 with the following paragraph.

--As examples of the surfactant, there can be mentioned nonionic surfactants such as polyoxyethylene lauryl ether, polyethylene glycol dilaurate and the like; and commercial products such as Polyflow No. 75 (a product of Kyoeisha chemical Co., Ltd.), Megaface F 173 (a product of Dainippon Ink and Chemicals, Incorporated), Surflon SC-105 (a product of Asahi Glass Co., Ltd.), L-70001 (a product of [Shin-Etsu Chemical] Nippon Unicar Co., Ltd.) and the like.--